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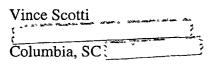
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Dear Vince Scotti,

This is to acknowledge receipt of your Letter of Protest/Comments to the Public Service Commission of South Carolina. Your Letter of Protest/Comments will be placed in the Protest File of the Docket listed below and on the Commission's Website at www.psc.sc.gov.

 <u>Docket No. 2019-281-S</u> - Application of Palmetto Utilities, Incorporated for Adjustment (Increase) of Rates and Charges, Terms and Conditions, for Sewer Service Provided to Customers in Its Richland and Kershaw County Service Areas

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According to the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, filing a Protest does not make you a Party of Record. A Protestant desiring to become an Intervenor (i.e., a Party of Record) in a proceeding before the Commission may file a Petition for Intervention within the time prescribed by the Commission.

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If we may be of further assistance to you, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely, Becky Latimer

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To whom it may concern,

In response to a notice I received from Palmetto Utilities advising of an intended rate increase in waste water treatment, I am requesting the opportunity to speak at the public hearing to be held on April 28th at 10:00 a.m. (Docket number 2019-281-S).

It is unconscionable that this utility would request a 30% increase in the rate after they requested (and the PSC granted) a 100% increase barely two years ago. I want to make my voice heard, even though I realize the Commissioners will not comment, nor will the attorneys in attendance and nothing will happen as a result of my words.

Vince Scotti

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